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- 1. Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences - Small Entity;
- Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
- 3. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116; and
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